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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

PCT/DE2004/000023

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<sup>13</sup>  
14 January 2004 (01.13.2004)

PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED

21 January 2003 (01.21.2003)

TITLE OF INVENTION

SOCK

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☐ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. ☒ The US has been elected (Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
  - a. ☐ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
  - b. ☒ has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
  - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
6. ☒ A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
  - a. ☐ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
  - b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
  - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
  - d. ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)) and Power of Attorney (unexecuted).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 16 below concern other document(s) or information included:

11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☐ A preliminary amendment.
- ☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.

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14. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification and claims amended to conform the translated application to US practice 15. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: a) Copy of the First Page of International Publication; b) Copy of International Search Report; c) Copy of PCT Application Translation; d) U.S. Application e) Copy of Notifications of The Recording Of A Change					
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17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a) BASIC NATIONAL FEE.....\$300.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b) EXAMINATION FEE.....\$200.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> c) SEARCH FEE.....\$400.00  <div style="text-align: right;">TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = \$900.00</div> <input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.				<b>CALCULATIONS</b> PTO USE ONLY	
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				\$900.00	
Claims	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate		
Total Claims	20-20	0	x \$50.00 =	\$0.00	
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- b. ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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Transmittal Letter (3 pp and duplicate of last page); Unexecuted Oath/Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pp); Copy of PCT Application Translation (8 pp) with drawings (10 pp); U.S. Application (10 pp) with drawings (10 pp); copy of first page of PCT publication (1 p); International Search Report (3 pp) and Notification Of The Recording Of A Changes (2 pp); and Check No. 28147 in the amount of \$ 450.00. To: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA, 22313-1450. Mailed on 18 July 2005 by Express Mail Label

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10 sheets of drawings  
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